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Subject: Vladimir ZNIDARSIC, was. SIKI

Field Comment: (1) Sources state that there are several Croats now living in Buenos Aires who know subject personally. They suggest that by showing some of them a photograph of subject, the mystery as to whether there are two persons named Vladimir ZNIDARSIC could be cleared up.

(2) Mission files contain no information identifiable with the Leo LISAC mentioned in the enclosed dispatch. However, it is believed that he may be identical with the Zvonimir LISAC mentioned in HAB-W-343. The names of LISAC, POTICA and FRANIC were volunteered by sources. None of the information in HAB-W-343 and its attachment was provided them in our request for additional data on ZNIDARSIC.

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Subject: Vladimir ZNIDARSIC, was. SIKI

Report No: HAB-336

Date of Information: Prior to 29 July 1953

Place Acquired: Argentina, Buenos Aires Date Acquired: 29 July 1953

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Date of Report: 31 July 1953

Source: Persons with contacts in local Yugoslav circles.

1. After having received special training in Nazi Germany in espionage activities, subject worked for the Gestapo in Italy from 1941 to 1945. There he was a member of a Gestapo team composed of Dregan PUTICA, Slobodan FRANIC and Leo LISAO. In 1944 these four men went to work at the same time for the Italian Communist Party. Their contact with the Italian Communist Party was established by subject, through one Pedro GUBERTINA. GUBERTINA was an outstanding Croatian Catholic who had become a Communist and was in Italy at the time.

2. Subject, PUTICA, FRANIC, and LISAO became part of a group of Communist terrorists which in 1945 assassinated some 40 anti-Communists. In 1945 subject also put himself in contact with elements of the British intelligence service.

3. Subject is still residing at 6224 S. Kimbark, Chicago 37, Illinois. He has a sister who is at present in Zagreb, Yugoslavia, where she is directing an organization composed of anti-Fascist females.)

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